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THE NEW TAX BILL.

As heretofore stated, a bill has been passed by the legislature and signed by the Governor extending the time for the enforcement of the 5 per centum penalty for non-payment of taxes from Dec. 1

to Jan. 1, 1904. The law provides that all persons who fail to pay their taxes by December 1, of each year, shall incur penalty of 5 per centum. The bill recently passed extends the time for the enforcement of the penalty one month. The necessity for the measure was manifested by reason of the delay attendant upon get-ting out the books, completing the as-sessments and the payment of taxes, leaving tax-payers with comparatively short time in which to pay up. The bill is as follows:

Be it enacted by the general assembly of Virginia. That in each city, county and district the penalty of 5 per centum for the year 1903, provided in said sec-tion 603, shall not be added by the treasurer to the taxes on any property or land listed in such city, county or district until January 1, 1904, and the treasurer shall not be required to report to the auditor of public accounts the taxes received by him for the year 1908, until the said January 1, 1904.

This bill does not apply to the capitation tax, although no person who, during the late war between the States, served in the army or navy of the United States or of the Confederate States, or any State of the United States or of the Confederate States, shall at any time be required to pay a poll tax as a prerequisite to the right to register or vote All other citizens have to pay a poil tax as a prerequisite to the right to vote. No person who served in the Spanish-American war is exempted by the above. In order to vote at the election next June the pool tax must be paid not later than

CHARGES AND COUNTER CHARGES .-

Dr. Jas. S. Strickland, of Roanoke, Va.,

told a sensational story before Judge Martin in Philadelphia yesterday in connection with his effort to recover more school. His wife had, he claimed, signed a contract not to disturb them. but afterward she carried them away from the school to her father's home in Philadelphia. This occurred on March 12, 1902, and it was not until two weeks ago that he discovered their whereabouts. He went directly to the residence of his He went directly to the residence of his former father-in-law, S. T. Muffty, in Philadelphia. "When I arrived at the house," said Dr. Strickland, "I found my daughter, Jeannette, playing outside. I placed my arm about her and she took me into the house. It was dark in the hallway and I had to grope my way. Suddenly, from an adjoining room I heard the voice of my other little girl. Dorothy, of my other little girl, Dorothy, say, 'Oh, don't shoot him.' This put me on my guard and as a door opened in front of me I dashed forward with both arms extended. I was just in time to save myself for Mr. Muffty was there with a cocked revolver pointed straight at my head. With my out-stretched arms I managed to grasp the wrist of his hand holding the revolver. I am much stronger than he is and wrenched the revolver away. After I had done so, however, he kept attacking me and told me he would kill me then or some other time." Dr. Strickland claimed that while in Roanoke he kept a large house and servants, but his wife persisted in leaving him. Once he says she was away nine months, and when she returned, at his request, put heavy bolts on the door of her room and regularly locked him out. Dr. Strickland was locked him out. Dr. Strickland was asked if a woman stenographer that he had employed had anything to de with his wife leaving him. He declared that he had never heard any complaint on that subject until it appeared in the cross suit for divorce filed by Mrs. Strickland. Mrs. Strickland replied to the husband's charges vesterday allege.

that subject until it appeared in the cross suit for divorce filed by Mrs. Strickland. Mrs. Strickland replied to the husband's charges yesterday, alleging that he was addicted to the use of drugs and liquors and was cruel. This he denied. The case is still on.

Tom Johnson's Daughter on Stage. Miss Bessie Johnson, daughter of Tom L. Johnson, lately defeated as the democratic candidate for Governor of Ohio, is now a real actress. Her debut was made in the presence of her father Thursday afternoon at the Empire Theater, New York, but the "politician" deciares that he has not given his sanction to the histrionic ambitions of his daughter. Miss Johnson on the boards was known as Elizabeth Flournoy, She was Conntess Beatrice in a one act play, ""Jeptha's Daughter," an adaptation of Felice Gazalotti. Her characterization of the Countess won great applause, and the audience was ignorant of the identity of the girl. Lumber and Mill Work ocratic candidate for Governor of Ohio,

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